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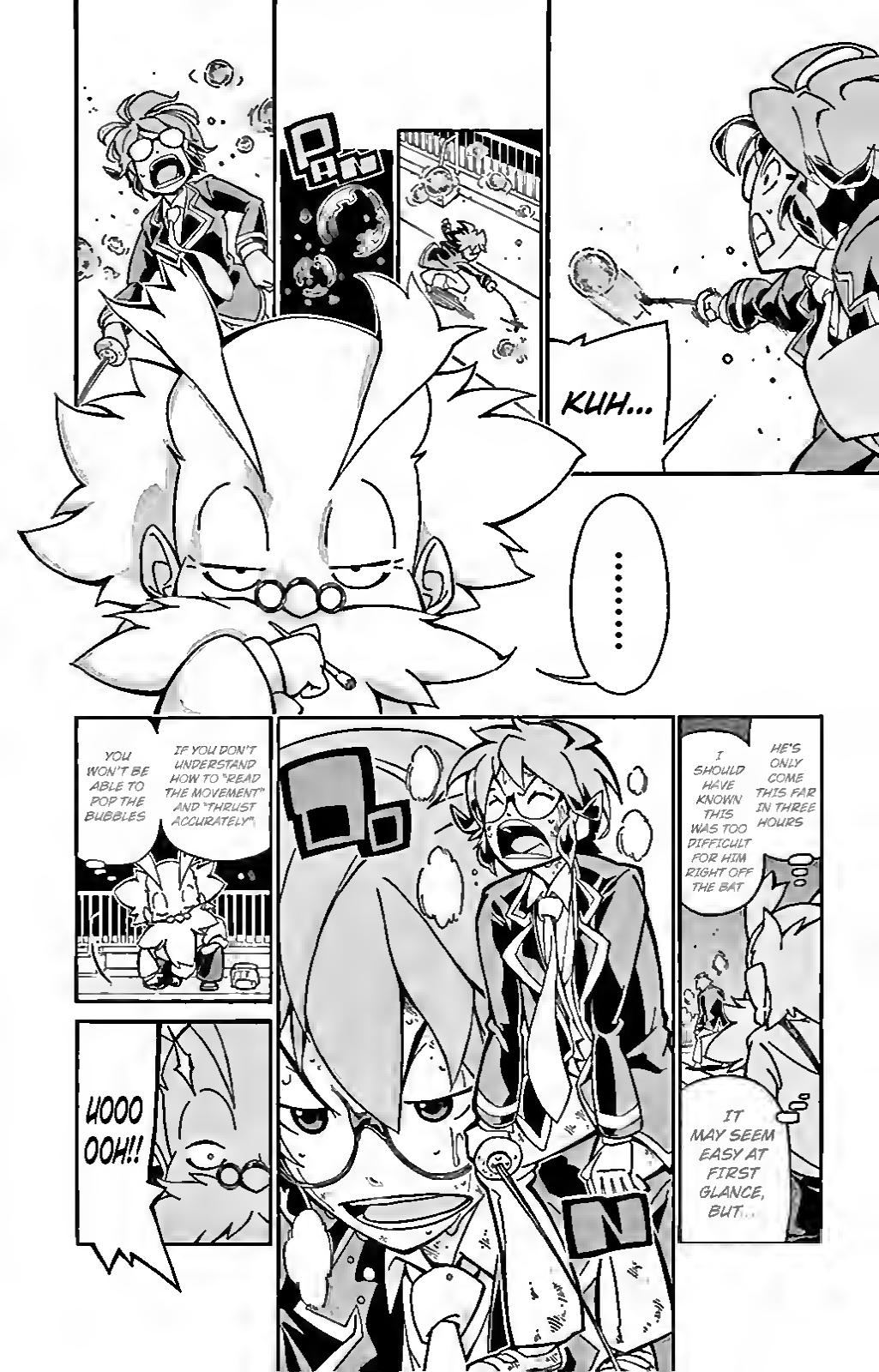
CHAPTER 5
SOAP BUBBLES


KUH...
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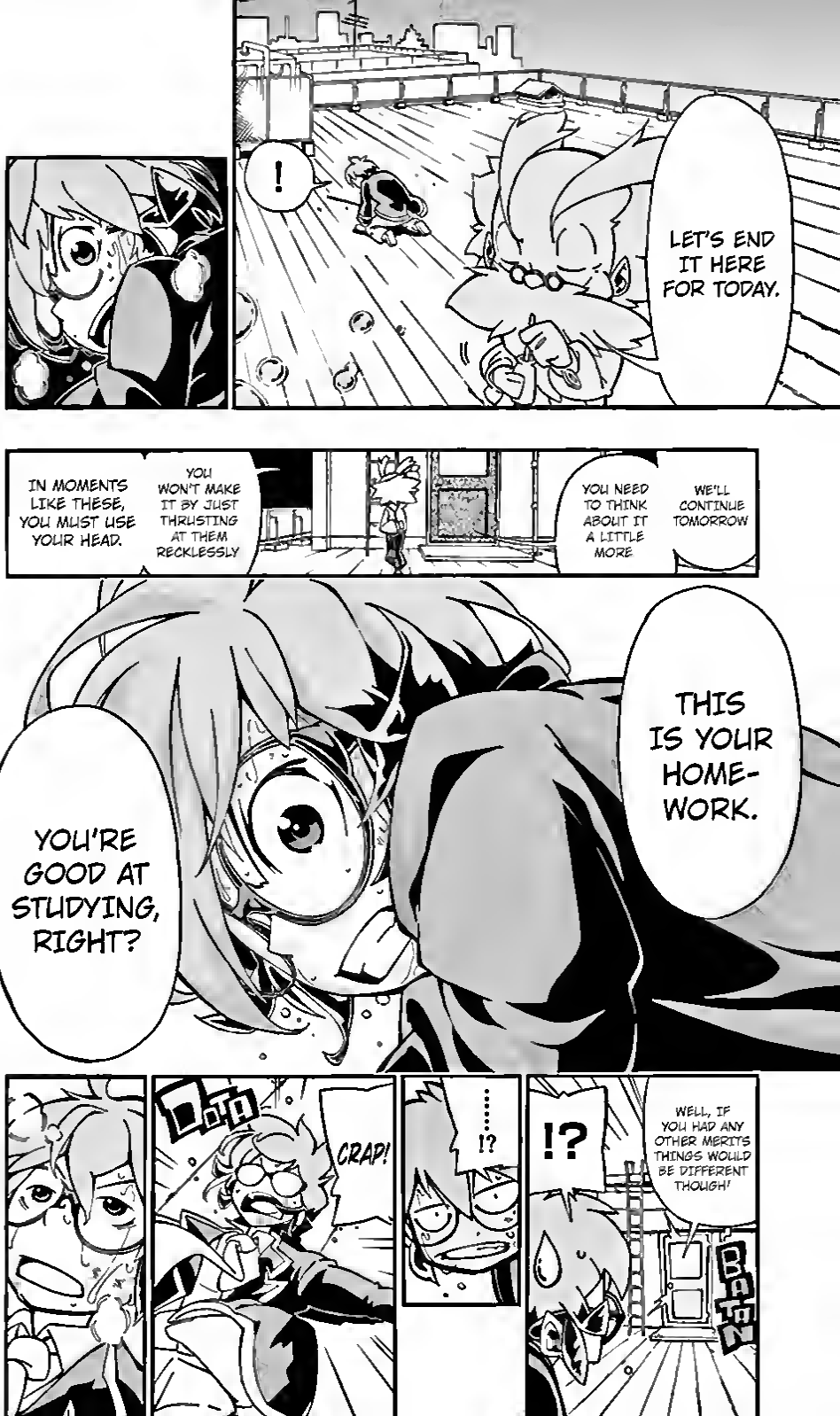
POP
IT MAY SEEM EASY AT FIRST GLANCE, BUT...
I SHOULD HAVE KNOWN THIS WAS TOO DIFFICULT FOR HIM RIGHT OFF THE BAT
HE'S ONLY COME THIS FAR IN THREE HOURS
IF YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND HOW TO "READ THE MOVEMENT" AND "THRUST ACCURATELY"
YOU WON'T BE ABLE TO POP THE BUBBLES
UOOO OOH!!

GUH...
HUH?!


LET'S END IT HERE FOR TODAY.
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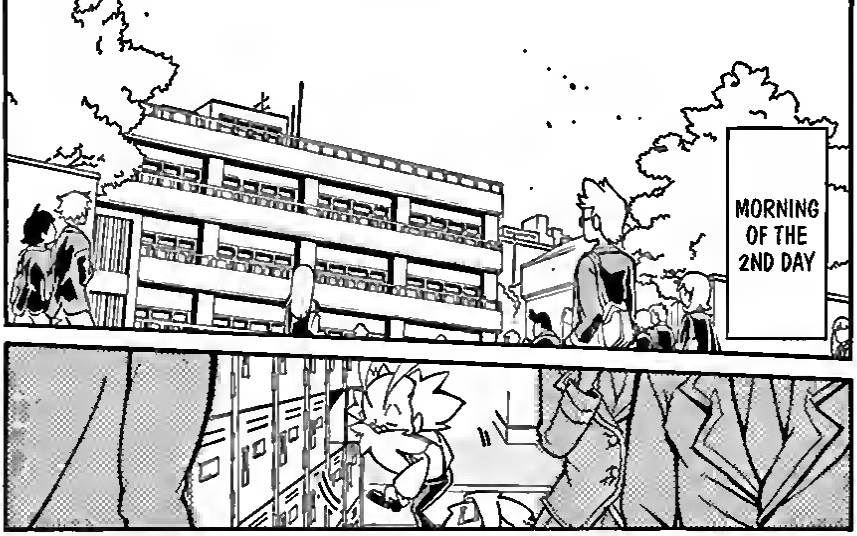
WE'LL CONTINUE TOMORROW
YOU NEED TO THINK ABOUT IT A LITTLE MORE
YOU WON'T MAKE IT BY JUST THRUSTING AT THEM RECKLESSLY
IN MOMENTS LIKE THESE, YOU MUST USE YOUR HEAD.
THIS IS YOUR HOME-WORK.
YOU'RE GOOD AT STUDYING, RIGHT?
WELL, IF YOU HAD ANY OTHER MERITS THINGS WOULD BE DIFFERENT THOUGH!
!?
!?
CRAP!
BAM

THERE'S NO WAY I CAN THRUST SOAP BUBBLES WITH SOMETHING THIS LONG!!
IT'S HEAVIER THAN I THOUGHT. HOW LONG IS THIS THING?
Myku
.....
AND WHAT'S WRONG WITH THIS SWORD?! IT'S REALLY DIFFICULT TO USE!
OH, SHIT... I CAN'T EVEN LIFT MY ARMS..
WHAT'S WITH THIS SPECIAL TRAINING...?!
IN MOMENTS LIKE THESE, YOU MUST USE YOUR HEAD.
YOU WON'T MAKE IT BY JUST THRUSTING AT THEM RECKLESSLY.
.....
YOU SAY THAT, BUT WHAT DO YOU EXPECT ME TO DO?!
WHO CAN EVEN DO IT, THIS SPECIAL TRAINING!!
Pu Pu Pu Pu
IF I DON'T THRUST QUICKLY, THE BUBBLES WILL MOVE RANDOMLY
AND THEY POP WHENEVER THEY FEEL LIKE IT...!!
Pon Pon

.....
COULD I THRUST THEM?
IF I HAD THAT MUCH SPEED...
HE'S NOT RECOGNIZING ME AFTER ALL. HUH?
WITH THRUSTS LIKE THAT, YOU COULD BREAK EVEN HARDER THINGS.
WHY DID HE CHOOSE SOMETHING THAT CAN POPPED JUST BY TOUCHING IT ?
BUT...
WHY SOAP BUB-BLES?!
POP WITH JUST A TOUCH?
HMM...?!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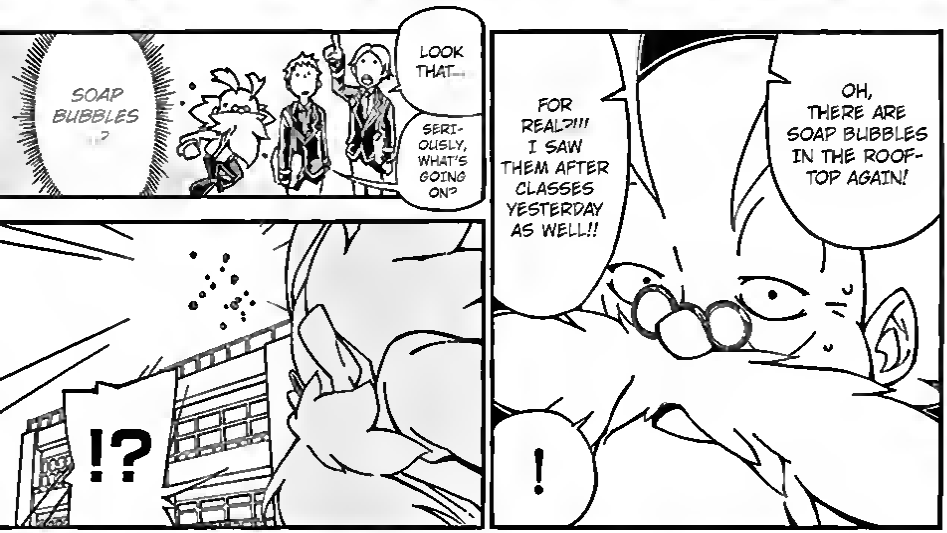
SOAP BUBBLES...?
LOOK THAT...
SERIOUSLY, WHAT'S GOING ON?
!?
FOR REAL?!!! I SAW THEM AFTER CLASSES YESTERDAY AS WELL!!
OH, THERE ARE SOAP BUBBLES IN THE ROOFTOP AGAIN!
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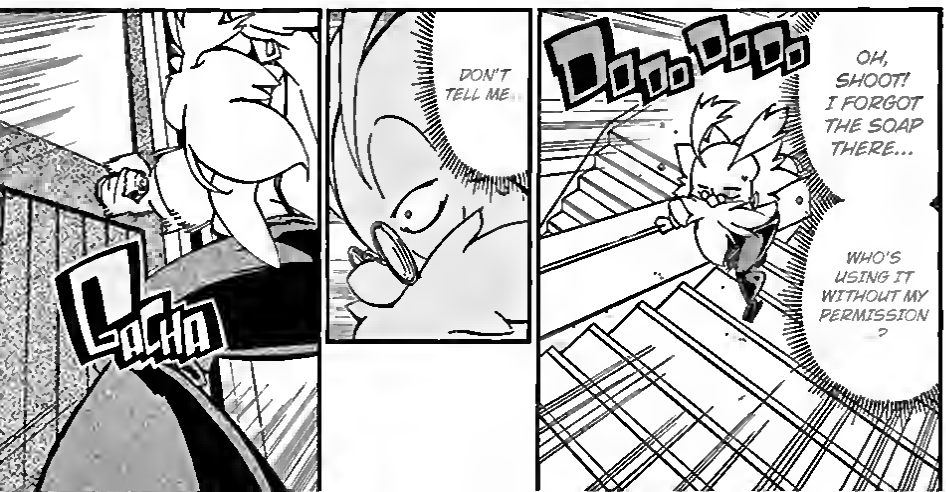
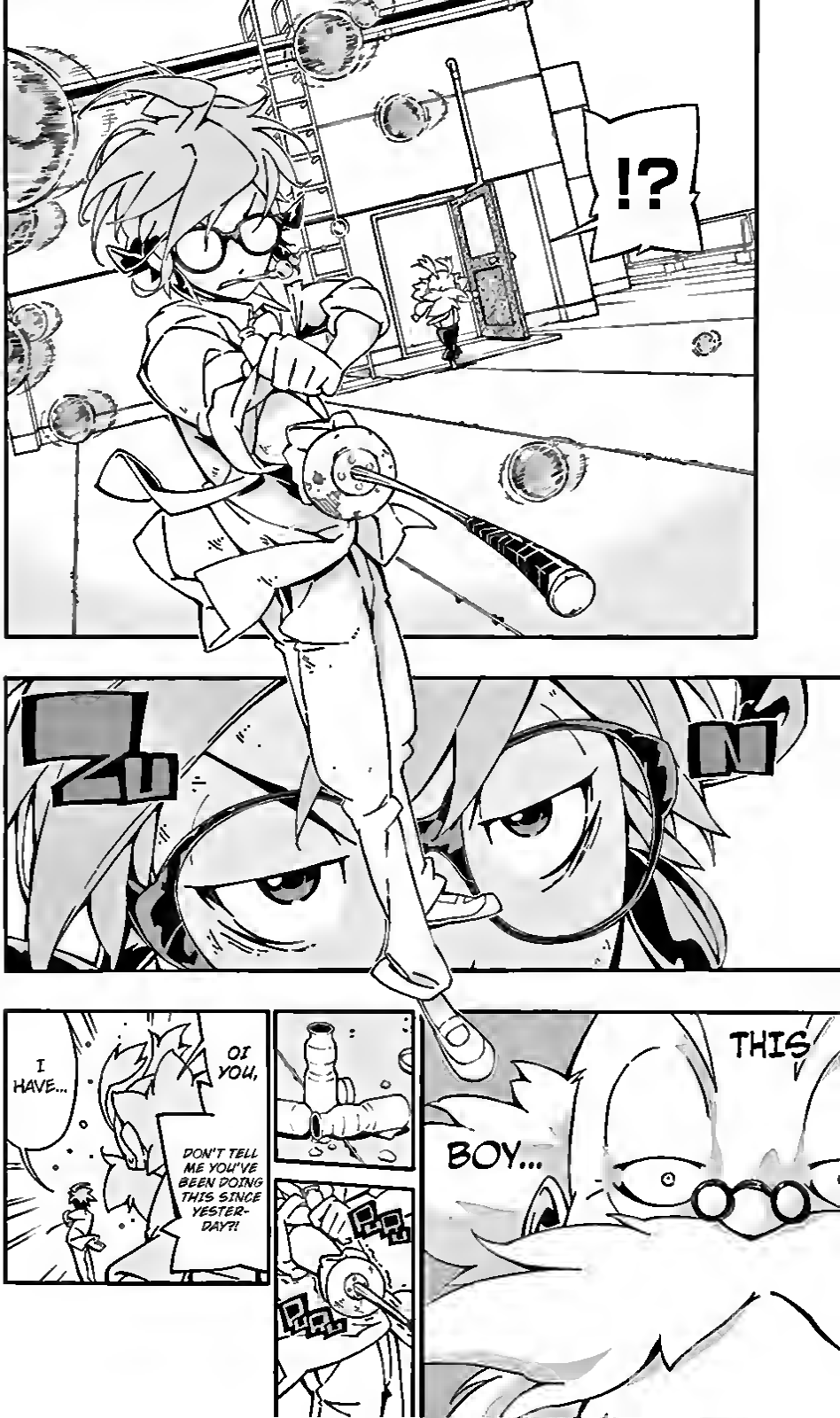

LAHA
DON'T TELL ME...
DODODODO
OH, SHOOT! I FORGOT THE SOAP THERE...
WHO'S USING IT WITHOUT MY PERMISSION...?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I HAVE...
OI YOU,
DON'T TELL ME YOU'VE BEEN DOING THIS SINCE YESTER-DAY?!
THIS
BOY...

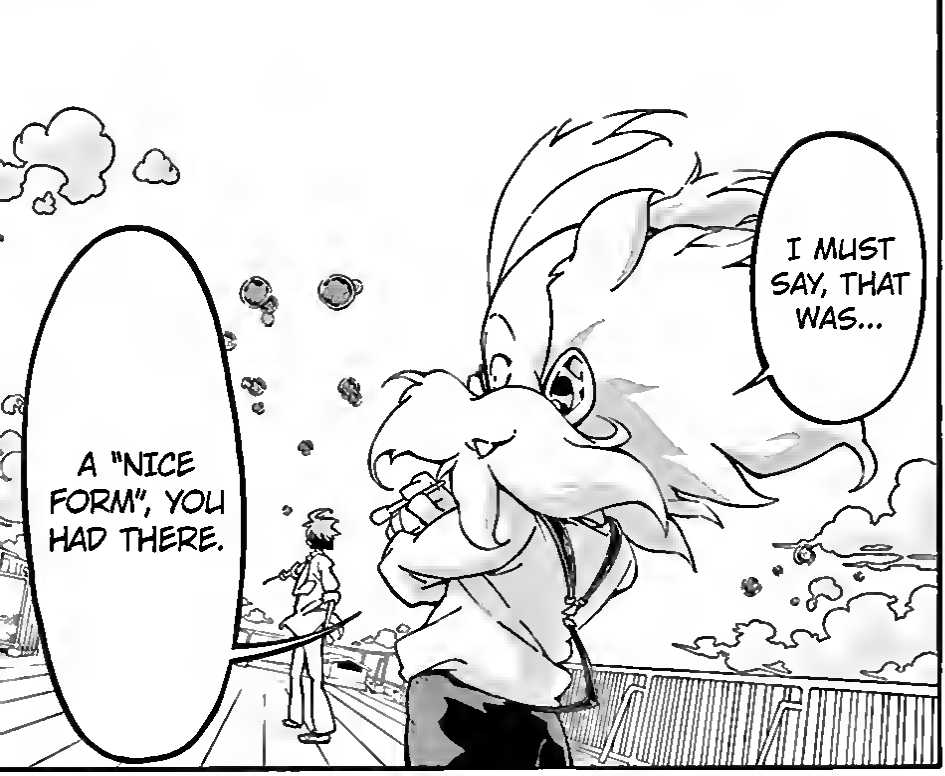
...IS THE ONE THING I NEVER LEAVE UNDONE.
HOME-WORK
FOR THE SOAP BUBBLES!!
THANK YOU...
I THINK I'M ALMOST THERE.
ARE YOU STUPID?! EVEN IF IT'S HOMEWORK,
I NEVER SAID YOU HAD TO FINISH IT BY TODAY...
!
MEAN-ING...
I DON'T NEED TO STRAIN MYSELF!
I JUST NEED TO TOUCH THEM.
IN ORDER TO POP THEM...

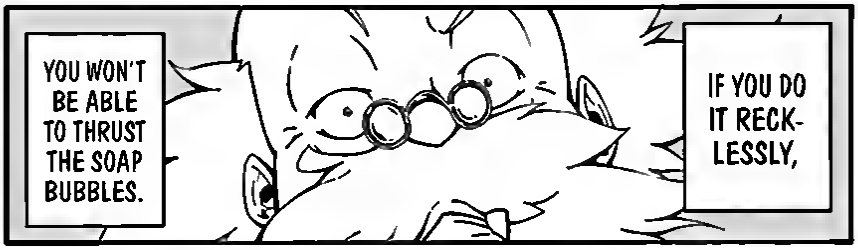
THAT'S WHY HE CHOSE SOAP BUBBLES
WHICH CAN POP WITH JUST A SLIGHT TOUCH!!
I'M SURE THAT SENSEI'S FORM IS INTENDED FOR JUST THAT.
FOR A FAST THRUST, I DON'T NEED TO USE UNNECESSARY POWER.
I NEED TO USE A FORM THAT DOESN'T INVOLVE USING TOO MUCH POWER. THE SWORD'S LONG AND DIFFICULT TO USE, AFTER ALL... IN WHICH CASE!!!!
EVEN IF I DO A LARGER SWING, I WON'T HIT THEM...
NEXT IS...
MOVEMENT...!
I JUST NEED TO...
EXTEND THE SWORD FROM THE START!!

I WON'T HIT A BUBBLE THAT ROAMS ABOUT RANDOMLY
BY THRUSTING RECKLESSLY.
UNTIL A BUBBLE COMES IN FRONT OF THE SWORD.
SO I'LL WAIT!!
IT WILL BE IN FRONT OF THE SWORD IN...
IT'S TWO METERS AWAY, HUH...? IF THAT BUBBLES MOVE AT A SPEED OF .50_CM/S, THEN,
!
THAT'S THE ONE...
WHAT'S THE SPEED? 1M/S, 2M/S?
THE WIND IS COMING FROM MY LEFT TO MY RIGHT...
MAYBE I CAN PREDICT THEIR MOVEMENTS LIKE THIS ..
FOUR SECONDS ...!
NO, IT SHOULDN'T BE THAT FAST.
I'LL LOOK FOR ONE THAT SEEMS LIKE IT LL APPROACH THE SWORD S TIP.

I'LL THRUST!!
QUIETLY...
QUIETLY...
WITH THE SWORD ALREADY EXTENDED...
THE BUBBLE WILL POP
WITH JUST THE SLIGHTEST CHANGE IN THE ATMOSPHERE...
NOT YET...
KEEP STILL...

HEHEHE...
I DID IT... I DID IT!
DID YOU SEE THAT, SENSEI?!
EVEN I...
EVEN I WAS ABLE TO THRUST
A SOAP BUBBLE!!
THIS BOY...
CLEARED THE TASK IN TWO DAYS...
Alright, one more time!
YORO
FUU...


I MUST SAY, THAT WAS...
A "NICE FORM", YOU HAD THERE.


YOU WON'T BE ABLE TO THRUST THE SOAP BUBBLES.
IF YOU DO IT RECK-LESSLY,

LOOK CARE-FULLY AT YOUR OPPONENT, READ HIM AND THRUST!

INSTEAD OF A LARGE SWING THAT DEPENDS ON POWER,

THIS TASK...
THAT'S WHY,

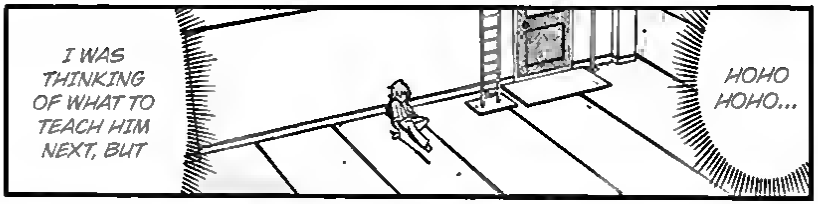
SPEED IN FENCING
CANNOT BE CLEARED
UNLESS YOU HAVE A GOOD FORM.
IS BORN FROM
USING MINI-MUM MOVE-MENTS.
Hehehe, I'll give you one!
Aaah, donuts! They look yummy!
WELL THEN, WHAT SHOULD I MAKE HIS NEXT TASK?
HE NEEDS TO PERFECT THE THRUSTS TOO.
FOOT-WORK? NO.
KIN-KON
KAN-KON

POP
AH...
HERE!
WATCH OUT!!
!

KuRu
KuRu

AAAAH, YOU GUYS ARE LUCKY~!
YOU'RE LUCKY THAT I, HANAMIYA DAIYA, HAD MY SWORD DRAWN!!

A FENCER ...?!
Uoooh!
AND HE'S NOT BAD...


HOHO HOHO...
I WAS THINKING OF WHAT TO TEACH HIM NEXT, BUT

...MAYBE I'LL LET HIM EXPERIENCE THE REAL DEAL.